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FOR SALE, BY
JAMES PERRY,
At Store No. 3, *On his Wharf*,

SIX Hundred Weight of excellent Glover Seed.
Fourteen Hundred Bushels of best Turk's-Island SALT.
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Thirty Hogsheads of New Rum.
Fresh superfine Flour by the barrel:
Souchong and bohea Tea by the dozen or single pound.
Brown Sugar and Coffee by the small quantity.
Also may be had, Storage for all kinds of Goods—in excellent Stores—warranted clear from the high Tides.

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JAMES CENTER
Has just Received, and for Sale,
An Assortment of NEW GARDEN SEEDS, at his Shop, No. 111, opposite General Martin's,

Pease from Mr. Burrington Anthony, Portsmouth.

EARLY Charlton
Spanish Dwarf
Two-podded
Large Marrowfat
English do.
Early Turner
Ledman Dwarf
Green Prussian

White and red Onion

Scarlet and blood Beet
Large Parsnip
Orange Carrot

Cabbage:
Early Dutch
Sugar-Loaf
Early Battersea
Large Drumhead
Savoy

Beans:
3 kinds of English Beans
Cramberry, white, case-knife and whipany
Bush do.
White, six-weeks, and Refugee do.

Radish:
Salmon, scarlet and early-short

Turnip:
Early Dutch, Dedham and French do.

Spinage:
Broad-leaved and prtckly do.

Cucumber:
Early long, green and prickly do.
Bush and long-neck Squash.
Double-Parsley
Sweet-Marjoram
Thyme, Summer--Savory, Sage, Nasturtium; &c. &c.

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French-Town Catholic Seminary Lottery.

THE Managers of the French-Town Catholic Seminary Lottery propose to commence drawing the second class of said Lottery, on Monday the 17th of March next and continue from day to day (Sundays excepted) until compleated.

THOMAS FRY,
PARDON TILLINGHAST,
GEORGE CARD,
} *Managers.*

East-Greenwich, February 27, 1806.

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TO BE SOLD,
(And possession given the 25*th of March next)*

THE Dwelling-House and Lot of Land, NO. 15, Market-Square, now occupied by Jeremiah Hunt—an excellent stand for business.—For further particulars and terms apply to

BENJAMIN REYNOLDS,
South Corner of Market-Square.

Newport, Feb. 7, 1806.

Messrs. MARCY & TREVETT,
Respectfully inform the Public,

THAT they shall open their SCHOOL, on Monday the 18th inst in Clarke-street, near Washington-square, late the residence of Mr: *William Bridges*;—where Youth will be carefully and expeditiously taught Reading grammatically, Writing, Cyphering, Geography, Book-Keeping, by single and double Entry, &c. Those who may intrust them with their Children, may depend on the strictest attention being paid to their morals and manner of behaviour—Hours of Tuition from 9 to 12 o'clock in the morning; and from 2 to 5 in the afternoon—The Evening School from 6 to 9 o'clock—For further particulars apply at the School-Room.

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SAMUEL & JOSHUA LOPEZ,
Are now Opening, at their Auction-Store, a handsome and well-chosen Assortment of fresh European and India GOODS, which they offer at public or private Sale, among which are,

BROADCLOTHS of various colours and qualities; cassimeres; plains, coatings; baizes and flannels; serges and duffils; toilinet; cassimeres; swan-down and Turkey-down for vesting; velvets; English and India checks; India cottons; a handsome assortment of furniture chintz and calicoes—some 4-quarter London prints; cotton and silk chambray muslins; silk shawls; Indi manufactured white and buff do; 4 4 and white and coloured camel-hair do Madrass; Bengee, banno, linen and cotton handkerchiefs; black, olive slate, buff, pink and blue cambrics; lin do. 7-8 and 4-4 Irish linens; bombazets; durc; durants: russels and calimancoes; black, white and coloured long silk gloves; brown linens; threads of various colours. &c. &c.

Also just received from Boston, and for sale as above, one case of Ladies elegant Beaver Bonnets.

Newport, January 10, 1806.

From a late LONDON PAPER.

COW-POX.

DR. JENNER has been lately presented with the freedom of the city of London, in a superb gold box of two guineas value, enriched and ornamented with appropriate emblems. In an oval on the top, is the Goddess Hygeia, in the figure of a Dairy or Milk Maid, presenting the Doctor to the City of London, which is represented by an elegant figure with a mural crown on her head, the arms of the city on her shield, and the cornucopia, bee-hive, and other characteristic accompanyments around her. The Goddess of Health has in one hand the Esculapian rod, and points with the other, in a graceful attitude, to some cows grazing in the back ground. Dr. Jenner is represented receiving, in a dignified manner, the scroll of freedom. In the front of the box are the city arms and suporters, tastefully arranged. At one end, those of the Lord Mayor, and at the other, those of the Doctor. Behind is a cow decorated with a votive chaplet; and at the bottom of the box is this inscription:

"*Presented to* EDWARD JENNER, *M. D. L. L. D. F. R. S. &c. by the Corporation of London, as a token of their sense of his skill and perseverance in the discovery of, and bringing into general use, the Vaccine Inoculation.*"

The ornaments of the box are of gold, embossed, and paintings beautifully executed in enamel.

The Chamberlain having administered the oath of a freeman, took the Doctor by the right hand, and addressed him in the following speech:—

"Dr. Jenner, I give you joy; and in obedience to the resolution of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, present you with the freedom of this city, in a gold box, as a token of their sense of your skill and perseverance in the discovery of, and bringing into general use, the Inoculation of the Cow-Pox. It has frequently fallen to my lot to convey the thanks of this great corporation to men who have distinguished themselves by their prowess in arms, and who have gained immortal honour by victories obtained over the foes of their king and country. But you, Sir, have obtained a victory over the deadliest enemy of the human race; a monster, who levelled in one undistinguished ruin, the aged, the young, the rich, the poor; whose rage could not be resisted by the strong, nor opposed by the weak, and whose unfeeling malice could neither be soothed by innocence, nor disarmed by beauty. May you, Sir, long live to enjoy the inexpressible pleasure of seeing those multitudes whom you have preserved from the grave performing the various charities in this sublunary state; and afterwards meet them in those happy regions, where the physician's skill is useless, and there receive the reward allotted for those who, in humble imitation of their benevolent Redeemer, devote their lives to the happiness of their fellow creatures."

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Couriers. The bulletins will arrive by the

NATIONAL LEGISLATURE.

NINTH CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, *Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1806.*

A LETTER was read from the Secretary of the Treasury, containing two reports, of the amount of exports from the United States to Great-Britain and elsewhere—and also imports. Ordered to be printed.

After a variety of reports, petitions, &c. the bill was called up, laying out roads, &c. Cumberland in Maryland, to the land from Ohio. The bill was from the Senate. State of opinions and local interests. Difference the best route from near the Potomac to the western part of the United States, led to a great variety of discussion, most of which was uninteresting to the public at large. The house at length agreed to the bill. A message was received from the Senate, stating the disagreement of that body to the bill for the relief of Nicklin and Griffith.

Thursday, February 27.

A bill for the relief of Peter Ludais was read a first, second, and third time, and passed. The petitioner claimed prize money due him in 1799; his claim was upwards of 12,000 dollars. Mr. Smith, who reported the bill, stated that he believed the petitioner at present wished but a part of the sum due him; and he would thank any gentleman to name a sum with which to fill the blank. Mr. Nicholson gave a very affecting statement of the petitioner's situation, and moved to fill the blank with 6000 dollars. It was so filled without a dissentient voice.

Tuesday, March 4.

Mr. Gregg said he had determined to move this day the house should go into a committee of the whole on the state of the union, with the view of taking into consideration the resolution which he had some time since offered, [on a non-importation of British Goods]—At the request, however, of several gentlemen and as much of the day was already considerable advanced, he said he would not make this motion to day, but he gave notice that he should make it to-morrow.

THE LAST MAILS.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, MARCH 4, 1806.

WE are informed, that the reason for the expected embargo at the Havanna, was, that a ship of war was fitting out at that port, destined for Campeachy, supposed to have instructions to intercept the ship Leander, now generally believed to be bound on a hostile expedition to Carracas.

NEW-YORK.

NEW-YORK, MARCH 6.

THE LEANDER.

The destination of this vessel and her convoy, excites the liveliest sensibility; and has a very unsuspicious influence on our commerce. The arbitrary arrest, and Star-Chamber examination of Messrs. Ogden and Smith, by Mr. Jefferson's officers, are also subjects of much speculation. Mr. Ogden denies, that his answers went "*directly to implicate the Government of the United States in fitting out the Leander;*" but, that on this subject, *he was not so much pressed* as on others. It seems, it was the examination of Col. William Smith, which implicated the Executive of the United States; and not Mr. Ogden; but, as an offset to this, it is stated, that the Colonel was the dupe of the wily Peruvian, Miranda. So twisted is this knotty business.

The democratic papers, with their usual flippancy and falsehood, to forestall the opinion of their dupes, insinuate that Miranda was sent out by the British Government; and that he had a letter of credit on a house in New-York, for 60,000l. sterling. These dupes, we know, believe any thing; and will not fail to credit this story, though they are told at the same time that the British have a strong expedition gone directly to Spanish America, in which Miranda might have been accommodated, and that they have enough of gold to conduct all their expeditions.—But we assert, it is false, that Miranda had any letter of credit. He was poor, and destitute, when he arrived; and had no other resources here, than such as he obtained by his intrigues.

Extract of a letter from Philadelphia.

"No doubt you have heard of the death of Capt. Gale, of the Marines, on board one of our frigates, run through by Capt. Rodgers, who is under arrest. Some say Gale was shot. There is no doubt of his death."

March 8.

IMPORTANT.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Baltimore, to his correspondents in this city, dated March 6, 1806.

"Last evening arrived the brig American, from the City of Santo Domingo. Capt. Houston [who is a man of veracity] reports, that on the 6th ultimo, the British fleet, of seven sail of the line, &c. under Admiral Duckworth, made their appearance to windward, when the French fleet of 5 sail of the line, &c. which were at anchor in a Bay about 10 miles from the city, attempted to escape, but the British Admiral being the first down, engaged the whole fleet for some time, until two other ships came to his assistance; that the battle lasted with the greatest fury for nearly two hours and an half, when the French Admiral's ship, of more than 100 guns, having one side completely beaten in, attempted to run ashore, but sunk, most of the crew perished; the Admiral himself got on shore; another ship also ran on shore, and was burnt by the British, the remaining 3 were taken possession of by them; 2 frigates and a sloop of war have escaped, but were closely pursued by some British frigates. Captain Houston was an eye witness to this engagement. Only five British vessels got into the action."

Capture of the Brest Squadron.

The following letter from Captain Pemberton, of the Brig Mars, to Mr. Samuel Burling, of this city, dated at the City of St. Domingo, February 9, contains an account of the destruction of the Brest squadron at that place, by Admiral Duckworth. The letter was received this morning, via Baltimore.

ST. DOMINGO, Feb. 9.

"The following is a statement of the engagement before St. Domingo on Thursday the 6th. At day-light, the English fleet hove in sight to the S. E. As great numbers of the French seamen were on shore, wooding and watering, it was not until 7 o'clock that the French ships got under way. The Imperial 134 guns, Le Brave and L'Alexander 84 each, Le Jupiter and Diomede 74 each, 2 frigates 40 each, and a corvette 28 guns.—At 9 o'clock the French formed their line; their frigates and corvettee keeping within shore of them—at 10 the English headmost ship commenced her fire upon the French line and proceeded entirely alone to break the line, and was successful; the whole of the French line firing upon her for at least 20 minutes, before the others could come up; she was entirely dismasted. The rest of the English by this time came up, consisting of 6 heavy ships, besides the one dismasted, among which was the Dragon, Admiral Duckworth. The French Admiral in the smoke, mistaking the L'Alexander for an English ship, fell upon him, and immediately cut away his masts by the board, and rendered him entirely useless. By this time 2 English 84's came alongside the French Admiral and knocked the ports of his middle and upper decks into one, in such a manner, that the decks, with the weight of metal, from the main hatchway forward fell down upon the lower deck, and crushed many poor fellows to pieces. The French Admiral being wounded and finding it impossible to escape, ran his ship, the Imperial, on the rocks to leeward of the city, the Diomede followed his example, and the others all struck their colors, and were taken possession of by the English. The French ships fought bravely, except Le Brave, and she struck the 3d round. It is reported that they cannot find more than 320 of the crew belonging to the Imperial, which consisted of 1350, including 209 soldiers. The Diomede had 260 killed before she went on shore, and many drowned and killed in attempting to climb the rocks on shore which from the surf made it very dangerous. Some of the English ships suffered very much both in their hulls and rigging, and although they have taken the enemy's ships, they have not much to brag of. I believe I saw the whole of the engagement from the top of the house. It is a lucky thing however, for the St. Domingo traders, for the French fleet was going down the coast to plunder and burn the brigand ports, so had not this happened, many of our American vessels must have been taken, and of course condemned. The people are in some consternation about this English fleet now off; they seem to have had another engagement to windward, as there is a French line of battle ship off the harbour dismasted, and an English fleet came this day in sight, one of the 74's has lost her mizen-mast, they cannot be any of the fleet that engaged the day before yesterday—however, the account of the English will come from Jamaica no doubt soon, but this statement may be relied upon as authentic.

A letter from M. J. P. Vemont, dated Santo Domingo, Feb. 11, gives a detailed statement of the account, in accordance with the above. He adds, that the French arrived there the 21st of January, on which an embargo took place; that on seeing the British on the 6th, they slipped their cables, and went to sea to avoid a combat;—that the Imperial and Diomede, which were run ashore had about 1000 killed or wounded; and that he believed the French had burnt the Imperial and Diomede. The Admiral was wounded; his first aid-de-camp shot through the body; and out of 15 midshipmen on board, nine were killed.

The following is the fate of the French fleet:

SHIPS.	GUNS.	FATE.
L'Imperial,	130	Ran on shore and burned
Le Brave, COUDE,	74	Taken, dismasted.
Le Alexander,	80	Taken.
Le Jupiter,	74	Taken.
Le Diomede,	74	Ran on shore and burned.

No account of the frigate and corvette.

From the Baltimore American of March 6.

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Capt. H. further informs, that 2 days after the action another English squadron of 13 sail arrived and remained two days off that place, supposed commanded by Admiral Duckworth.

We learn from a respectable gentleman, that the upper decks of L'Imperial blew up when she sunk, about seven miles from the city; and that 700 souls perished on board. She is just off the stocks, and was thought to be the finest ship in the French navy.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, MARCH 12.

FROM EUROPE.

From various quarters, through various channels, murmurs of intelligence are heard; but we imagine they all have had their rise in the scenes of carnage exhibited near Olmutz, on the first days of December.

The English unofficial accounts, it will be recollected, bring down the dates from the fields of battle, to the 5th December;—that on the 1st and 2d December the French were successful in defeating the Russian centre, taking many cannon, and prisoners; but that afterwards, particularly on the 5th December, the tide of success turned—the Russians, in their turn, became the favorites of fortune; and the French were compelled to retreat some miles. But these accounts are unofficial; and may be fabrications.

At length a French *official* account of the events of the 1st and 2d December has reached us. It is from Marshal Berthier to Massena, received via Leghorn.—It states, that on the 2d December the Austro-Russian army had been completely defeated; that of 80,000 men, 15,000 were killed, 25,000 taken prisoners, and 120 pieces of cannon. This account, though it deals in round numbers, does not differ from the British accounts of those two days, more than opposite accounts usually do; and it does not speak of events after the 2d December.

Though we do not think it *probable*, after so heavy a disaster, that the allied armies were in sufficient force and heart to turn the tables on their vanquishers; we pronounce it not to be *impossible*, for the English accounts state, that on the three days after the 2d, the Russians retook their prisoners and cannon; and it may be pronounced with safety that 15,000 Russians did not fall without planting by their sides nearly an equal number of Frenchmen; and that, as far as killed and wounded extended, both armies were nearly alike weakened in the battle of the 2d.

We must wait still longer, for a talisman to dissolve the spell which enchains our European tidings.

Letters from New-York, received last evening, mention, that business in that city is much depressed by apprehensions of the consequences which may result from Miranda's expedition. Several vessels ready for sea were detained for further information. And the insurance offices declined accepting particular risks under the existing circumstances.

A gentleman from Philadelphia informs, that a vessel had arrived there from the Havanna, having escaped in the night to avoid an embargo which was about to be laid on in consequence of a number of Spanish vessels being on the point of departure upon a secret expedition.

RHODE-ISLAND.

PROVIDENCE, MARCH 8.

Mr. CARTER,

Be pleased to insert the inclosed Resolutions, introduced into the House of Representatives of our State Legislature on the 1st inst. by WILLIAM HUNTER, Esq. of Newport. They strongly, and with elegance, express the feelings and opinions of that honourable body, and I believe of all the freemen of New-England, on the various and insolent aggressions of Europeans on the rights of American citizens.

I am, Sir, respectfully yours,

AN AMERICAN.

State of Rhode-Island and Providence Plantations.

In GENERAL ASSEMBLY. House of Representatives, March 1, 1806.

WHEREAS the subjects of his Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great-Britain and Ireland, and the subjects of other foreign belligerent nations, have recently committed unprecedented depredations on the commerce of the citizens of the United States, and have impressed and imprisoned many of the said citizens: And whereas the British Courts of Admiralty have adopted rules of decision hostile to the just and honest neutral rights of the United States, and in gross violation of the ancient and acknowledged laws of nations;

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Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State be furnished with a copy of these resolutions, and be requested to use all proper means to procure the adoption, by the Legislature of the United States, of the measures herein recommended.

Voted and passed unanimously.

By Order, T. A. FOSTER, *Clerk.*

A true Copy: Witness,

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After a variety of reports, pe[illegible]ons, &c. the bill was called up, laying out a [illegible]d from Cumberland in Maryland, to the [illegible]te of Ohio. The bill was from the Senate. Differences of opinion and local interests, to the best route from near the Potomac to the western part of the United States, led to great variety of discussion, most of which a[illegible] uninteresting to the public at large. The house at length agreed to the bill. A message was received from the Senate, stating the disagreement of that body to the bill for the relief of Nicklin and Griffith.

Thursday, February 27.

A bill for the relief of Peter Ludais was read a first, second, and third time, and passed. The petitioner claimed prize money due him in 1799; his claim was upwards of 12,000 dollars. Mr. Smith, who reported the bill, stated that he believed the petitioner at present wished but a part of the sum due him; and he would thank any gentleman to name a sum with which to fill the blank. Mr. Nicholson gave a very affecting statement of the petitioner's situation, and moved to fill the blank with 6000 dollars. It was so filled without a dissentient voice.

Tuesday, March 4.

Mr. Gregg said he had determined to move this day the house should go into a committee of the whole on the state of the union, with the view of taking into consideration the resolution which he had some time since offered, [on a non-importation of British Goods]—At the request, however, of several gentlemen, and as much of the day was already considerable advanced, he said he would not make this motion to day, but he gave notice that he should make it tomorrow.

BY THE LAST MAILS.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, MARCH 4, 1806.

WE are informed, that the reason for the expected embargo at the Havanna, was, that a ship of war was fitting out at that port, destined for Campeachy, supposed to have instructions to intercept the ship Leander, now generally believed to be bound on a hostile expedition to Carracas.

NEW-YORK.

NEW-YORK, MARCH 6.

THE LEANDER.

The destination of this vessel and her convoy, excites the liveliest sensibility; and has a very inauspicious influence on our commerce. The arbitrary arrest, and Star-Chamber examination of Messrs. Ogden and Smith, by Mr. Jefferson's officers, are also subjects of much speculation. Mr. Ogden denies, that his answers went "*directly to implicate the Government of the United States in fitting out the Leander;*" but, that on this subject, *he was not so much pressed* as on others. It seems, it was the examination of Col. William Smith, which implicated the Executive of the United States; and not Mr. Ogden; but, as an offset to this, it is stated, that the Colonel was the dupe of the wily Peruvian, Miranda. So twisted is this knotty business.

The democratic papers, with their usual flippancy and falsehood, to forestall the opinion of their dupes, insinuate that Miranda was sent out by the British Government; and that he had a letter of credit on a house in New-York, for 60,000l. sterling. These dupes, we know, believe any thing; and will not fail to credit this story, though they are told at the same time that the British have a strong expedition gone directly to Spanish America, in which Miranda might have been accommodated, and that they have enough of gold to conduct all their expeditions.—But we assert, it is false, that Miranda had any letter of credit. He was poor, and destitute, when he arrived; and had no other resources here, than such as he obtained by his intrigues.

Extract of a letter from Philadelphia.

"No doubt you have heard of the death of Capt. Gale, of the Marines, on board one of our frigates, run through by Capt. Rodgers, who is under arrest. Some say Gale was shot. There is no doubt of his death."

March 8.

IMPORTANT.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Baltimore, to his correspondent in this city, dated March 6, 1806.

"Last evening arrived the brig American, from the City of Santo Domingo. Capt. Houston [who is a man of veracity] reports, that on the 6th ultimo, the British fleet, of seven sail of the line, &c. under Admiral Duckworth, made their appearance to windward, when the French fleet of 5 sail of the line, &c. which were at anchor in a Bay about 10 miles from the city, attempted to escape, but the British Admiral being the first down, engaged the whole fleet for some time, until two other ships came to his assistance; that the battle lasted with the greatest fury for nearly two hours and an half, when the French Admiral's ship, of more than 100 guns, having one side completely beaten in, attempted to run ashore, but sunk, most of the crew perished; the Admiral himself got on shore; another ship also ran on shore, and was burnt by the British, the remaining 3 were taken possession of by them; 2 frigates and a sloop of war have escaped, but were closely pursued by some British frigates. Captain Houston was an eye witness to this engagement. Only five British vessels got into the action."

Capture of the Brest Squadron.

The following letter from Captain Pemberton, of the Brig Mars, to Mr. Samuel Burling, of this city, dated at the City of St. Domingo, February 9, contains an account of the destruction of the Brest squadron at that place, by Admiral Duckworth. The letter was received this morning, via Baltimore.

ST. DOMINGO, Feb. 9.

"The following is a statement of the engagement before St. Domingo on Thursday the 6th. At day-light, the English fleet hove in sight to the S. E. As great numbers of the French seamen were on shore, wooding and watering, it was not until 7 o'clock that the French ships got under way. The Imperial 134 guns, Le Brave and L'Alexander 84 each, Le Jupiter and Diomede 74 each, 2 frigates 40 each, and a corvette 28 guns.—At 9 o'clock the French formed their line; their frigates and corvettee keeping within shore of them—at 10 the English headmost ship commenced her fire upon the French line and proceeded entirely alone to break the line, and was successful; the whole of the French line firing upon her for at least 20 minutes, before the others could come up; she was entirely dismasted. The rest of the English by this time came up, consisting of 6 heavy ships, besides the one dismasted, among which was the Dragon, Admiral Duckworth. The French Admiral in the smoke, mistaking the L'Alexander for an English ship, fell upon him, and immediately cut away his masts by the board, and rendered him entirely useless. By this time 2 English 84's came alongside the French Admiral and knocked the ports of his middle and upper decks into one, in such a manner, that the decks, with the weight of metal, from the main hatchway forward fell down upon the lower deck, and crushed many poor fellows to pieces. The French Admiral being wounded and finding it impossible to escape, ran his ship, the Imperial, on the rocks to leeward of the city, the Diomede followed his example, and the others all struck their colors, and were taken possession of by the English. The French ships fought bravely, except Le Brave, and she struck the 3d round. It is reported that they cannot find more than 320 of the crew belonging to the Imperial, which consisted of 1350, including 200 soldiers. The Diomede had 260 killed before she went on shore, and many drowned and killed in attempting to climb the rocks on shore which from the surf made it very dangerous. Some of the English ships suffered very much both in their hulls and rigging, and although they have taken the enemy's ships, they have not much to brag of. I believe I saw the whole of the engagement from the top of the house. It is a lucky thing however, for the St. Domingo traders, for the French fleet was going down the coast to plunder and burn the brigand ports, so had not this happened, many of our American vessels must have been taken, and of course condemned. The people are in some consternation about this English fleet now off; they seem to have had another engagement to windward, as there is a French line of battle ship off the harbour dismasted, and an English fleet came this day in sight, one of the 74's has lost her mizen-mast, they cannot be any of the fleet that engaged the day before yesterday—however, the account of the English will come from Jamaica no doubt soon, but this statement may be relied upon as authentic.

A letter from M. J. P. Vemont, dated Santo Domingo, Feb. 11, gives a detailed statement of the account, in accordance with the above. He adds, that the French arrived there the 21st of January, on which an embargo took place; that on seeing the British on the 6th, they slipped their cables, and went to sea to avoid a combat;—that the Imperial and Diomede, which were run ashore had about 1000 killed or wounded; and that he believed the French had burnt the Imperial and Diomede. The Admiral was wounded; his first aid-de-camp shot through the body; and out of 15 midshipmen on board, nine were killed.

The following is the fate of the French fleet:

SHIPS.	GUNS.	FATE.
L'Imperial,	130	Ran on shore and burned
Le Brave, COUDE,	74	Taken, dismasted.
Le Alexander,	80	Taken.
Le Jupiter,	74	Taken.
Le Diomede,	74	Ran on shore and burned.

No account of the frigate and corvette.

From the Baltimore American of March 6.

Capt. Houston of the brig American, arrived last evening from the city of St. Domingo, informs, that an engagement took place at that port on the 6th ult. between the French fleet from Brest, and under the command of Admiral Siegle, and the English squadron, believed under the command of Admiral Cochran, which ended in the capture of 3 and destruction of 2, (one of which was the Admiral's) of the largest of the French ships. The French fleet consisted of L'Imperial, of 134 guns, Jupiter 74, Diomed 74, L'Brave 84, L'Alexandra 74, Felicite 44, Comet 36, and the corvette Diligence 22; and the English force consisted of 7 line of battle ships and two smaller vessels. Previous to the engagement the French had landed 600 troops. The battle was vigorous and well contested on both sides for 3 hours.

Capt. H. further informs, that 2 days after the action another English squadron of 13 sail arrived and remained two days off that place, supposed commanded by Admiral Duckworth.

We learn from a respectable gentleman, that the upper decks of L'Imperial blew up when she sunk, about seven miles from the city; and that 700 souls perished on board. She is just off the stocks, and was thought to be the finest ship in the French navy.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, MARCH 12.

FROM EUROPE.

From various quarters, through various channels, murmors of intelligence are heard; but we imagine they all have had their rise in the scenes of carnage exhibited near Olmutz, on the first days of December.

The English unofficial accounts, it will be recollected, bring down the dates from the fields of battle, to the 5th December;—that on the 1st and 2d December the French were successful in defeating the Russian centre, taking many cannon, and prisoners; but that afterwards, particularly on the 5th December, the tide of success turned—the Russians, in their turn, became the favorites of fortune; and the French were compelled to retreat some miles. But these accounts are unofficial; and may be fabrications.

At length a French *official* account of the events of the 1st and 2d December has reached us. It is from Marshal Berthier to Massena, received via Leghorn.—It states, that on the 2d December the Austro-Russian army had been completely defeated; that of 80,000 men, 15 000 were killed, 25 000 taken prisoners, and 120 pieces of cannon. This account, though it deals in round numbers, does not differ from the British accounts of those two days, more than opposite accounts usually do; and it does not speak of events after the 2d December.

Though we do not think it *probable*, after so heavy a disaster, that the allied armies were in sufficient force and heart to turn the tables on their vanquishers; we pronounce it not to be *impossible*, for the English accounts state, that on the three days after the 2d, the Russians retook their prisoners and cannon; and it may be pronounced with safety that 15 000 Russians did not fall without planting by their sides nearly an equal number of Frenchmen; and that, as far as killed and wounded extended, both armies were nearly alike weakened in the battle of the 2d.

We must wait still longer, for a talisman to dissolve the spell which enchains our European tidings.

Letters from New-York, received last evening, mention, that business in that city is much depressed by apprehensions of the consequences which may result from Miranda's expedition. Several vessels ready for sea were detained for further information. And the insurance offices declined accepting particular risks under the existing circumstances.

A gentleman from Philadelphia informs, that a vessel had arrived there from the Havanna, having escaped in the night to avoid an embargo which was about to be laid on in consequence of a number of Spanish vessels being on the point of departure upon a secret expedition.

RHODE-ISLAND.

PROVIDENCE, MARCH 8.

Mr. CARTER,

Be pleased to insert the inclosed Resolutions, introduced into the House of Representatives of our State Legislature on the 1st inst. by WILLIAM HUNTER, Esq. of Newport. They strongly, and with elegance, express the feelings and opinions of that honourable body, and I believe of all the freemen of New-England, on the various and insolent aggressions of Europeans on the rights of American citizens.

I am, Sir, respectfully yours,

AN AMERICAN.

State of Rhode-Island and Providence Plantations.

In GENERAL ASSEMBLY. House of Representatives, March 1, 1806.

WHEREAS the subjects of his Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great-Britain and Ireland, and the subjects of other foreign belligerent nations, have recently committed unprecedented depredations on the commerce of the citizens of the United States, and have impressed and imprisoned many of the said citizens: And whereas the British Courts of Admiralty have adopted rules of decision hostile to the just and honest neutral rights of the United States, and in gross violation of the ancient and acknowledged laws of nations:

It is therefore Resolved, as the sense of this House, That in fear that the wise measures of negotiation, which it is presumed the government of the United States have undertaken, or will undertake, to procure the speedy restitution of our captured property, and release our impressed seamen, may prove unsuccessful, it is expedient that the exposed and defenceless ports and harbours of the United States be fortified, and the naval force thereof augmented; to the end that the honour of the United States, and the interest of their citizens, may be more effectually secured.

Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State be furnished with a copy of these resolutions, and be requested to use all proper means to procure the adoption, by the Legislature of the United States, of the measures herein recommended.

Voted and passed unanimously.

By Order, T. A. FOSTER, *Clerk.*

A true Copy: Witness,

SAMUEL EDDY, *Secr'y.*

NEWPORT,

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1806.

FROM WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, 1806.

"I have not written you for some time, because there has been nothing of consequence to inform you of. Congress continue to do nothing, or what is worse than nothing. Trifling bills, foolish resolutions, and unimportant reports, employ their time, while the great concerns of the nation remain unnoticed. How can we account for this wilful neglect of duty?—For I can call it nothing else. I believe the true reason is, that the democrats are fearful of putting in execution those energetic measures, which they know are necessary for the honor and safety of the nation, because they will be obliged to impose taxes to support such measures.—They well know, that such a step would deprive them of their present power and popularity, earned by falsehood and deceit. Therefore, they mean to do nothing in reality, but make a show of something. For this purpose, the 100,000 militia bill was passed. A democratic member was heard to say, not long since, "that though Congress had been in session ten weeks, they had not done so much business, as they could easily have transacted in ten days. That he thought it more prudent to adjourn immediately, than continue in their present mode of wasting time and money." Now, if one of their own party confess their sins, may we not believe a *part* of what is said of their conduct, by every body?

"Yesterday, in the House of Representatives, Mr. Randolph revived his resolutions about the *removal of the Judges*, at the will of two-thirds of the legislature.—It was referred to the House for Monday next. A motion was made to have it postponed indefinitely, which quite roused Mr. Randolph, and loosed the strings of his tongue, which have for sometime been confined by illness. He lectured the House handsomely, for their unpardonable delays in the business of the nation, during his absence or sickness, and told them, in plain language, that they had done nothing. He said they moved the postponement of his resolutions, on pretence of acting upon more important business: when in fact, they intended no such thing, but merely to introduce some trifling question. So, said he, is every important question deferred on similar grounds, and *every thing* left to the close of the session, when *nothing* can be done. What effect this lecture will have, I cannot say. Though Mr. Randolph is very sick, and looks more like a candidate for the grave, than a proper person to be in Congress, he is not inactive, but is again rallying his party, and may yet make a formidable appearance.

"In Senate the *appearance of something* is going on. Gen. Smith's bill, concerning our differences with Great-Britain, has passed, and is now before the President.—How he will determine is very dubious. If we negociate, it will be desirable to send a Minister; but how can that be done, without offending Monroe, by implying that he is inadequate to the business? Mr. Madison, perhaps, would have no objection to this step; but the President has not, and I think will not, consent to it.—The committee are prepared to report a bill in favor of the claimants in the Yazoo Business.—The brig Hornet, will certainly sail from New-York soon, because the officers have left Washington."

February 28.

"The House of Representatives have been most of the day engaged on Dawson's resolutions appropriating 150,000 dollars for fortifications, building gun-boats and six line of battle-ships. The resolutions will be called up again on Thursday next. I think they will all pass.—The Senate having requested the President to send an Envoy extra to England, it is every day expected an appointment will be made: who it will be you know as well as I. Among the guessers, I have heard only the names of Burr, King, and S. Smith."

Impressment of Seamen.—Mr. Smith has introduced to the Senate of the United States, a new bill respecting the impressment of seamen. By it any person who shall impress *any seaman* sailing under the American flag, is to be considered and treated as a pirate, if afterwards found in the United States; and every American seaman impressed, to be allowed dollars for every month he may be detained, recoverable by attachment of any private debt, due from any citizen of the United States to any subject of the government by whose subjects he had been impressed and detained.

Mr. Mitchell, from a committee on the subject, has reported to the Senate, that it is expedient to appropriate any unexpended balance of the Mediterranean fund, to the building of ships of the line.

An embargo was expected at the Havanna on the 15th of Feb. last.

The Hon. William Tilghman, a Federal Republican, has been appointed, by Gov. M'Kean, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

A gentleman lately arrived at Norfolk, from the Havanna, says that an order was issued there before he left that place, prohibiting the exportation of *Sugars*—not *Segars*, as is erroneously stated in some of the papers.—We mention this to tranquillise the agitated minds of the *Smokers*.

The Spanish government has highly approved the conduct of its officers and seamen, off Cape Trafalgar. Admiral Gravina, has been promoted to be Captain-General of the fleet; Admiral Alava has been invested with the Grand Cross of Charles III. and Admiral Escano made a Lieutenant-General. All the Admirals and officers have been promoted a step. No less than ten Spanish Admirals and commodores; and ten Captains of frigates, were killed or wounded in that dreadful battle.

Mr. Wright's famous bill respecting the impressment of American Seamen, has been taken up in the Senate of the United States and the whole of it struck out except the words "BE IT ENACTED"! A new bill was then introduced, which was also rejected.

The Legislature of Massachusetts has passed a resolve granting 10,000 acres of Land to WM. EATON, Esq. in consideration of his gallant services in the Mediterranean.

Joseph Warner Rose, of the Island of Antigua, has been appointed American commercial agent for that Island.

Mr. SAMUEL WEBBER, A. M. Hollis Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy, at the University in Cambridge, (Mass.) is elected President of that Seminary, by the Corporation.

A letter from Washington, dated March 4, 1806, says, "The non-intercourse resolutions will all pass off *in fumo*; and to finish the business completely, ARMSTRONG and BOWDOIN are talked off as the Ambassadors-Extraordinary to *Great-Britain!!!!*"

Miranda's Expedition.—The secret expedition which lately left New-York, continues a subject of speculation. Several eminent citizens of New-York have been arrested and examined, by the officers of the general government, on suspicion of being concerned in it. It appears that the administration were entirely unacquainted with respect to the armament, till after its sailing.

The editor of the *Richmond Enquirer* says he has obtained information of this expedition, which the public may rely on:—That its destination is really SOUTH-AMERICA—and its object the overthrow of the Spanish power in that quarter: that, from motives of resentment against Spain, Gen. Miranda, its prime mover (a native of Mexico) has long contemplated the project, and more than once been promised assistance from European governments: that he is now unsupported by any government—that the whole is private enterprise—and that, unless a *miracle* should interpose, he will succeed.

New-London Gazette.

MARRIED.—In this town, on Sunday evening last. Capt. JAMES BARKER, to Miss MARY ANTHONY, daughter of Capt. Daniel Anthony.

DIED.—In this town, on the 11th inst. Mrs. RUTH EASTON, consort of Mr. John Easton.

—On the 13th inst. Mr. GILES HOSIER, in the 81st year of his age.

—On the coast of Africa, on board the brig Alfred, on the 3d of December last, Mr. SOLOMON GODDARD, of this town, son of the late Mr. Townsend Goddard, in the 22d year of his age; an enterprising promising young man. His death is much lamented by his relatives and acquaintance.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of NEWPORT, March 14.

ENTERED,

NONE.

CLEARED,	For
Sloop Mary, Brown,	Baltimore
Polly, Turner,	Ditto
Brig Russell, Newton,	Havanna
Agenoria, Landers,	Ditto
Lucinda, Shove,	Edenton
Sloop Fame, Lawton,	New-York
Polly, Bliss,	Ditto

To be LEASED,

For the Term of Three Years, from the 25th of this present Month,

A LOT of LAND, containing eight and one-half acres, part of the Farm at the north end of Newport, late belonging to *Henry Bliss*, Esq. deceased.—Any person wishing to Hire the same, may know the terms, by applying to either of the subscribers,

J. BOURS,
BENJAMIN GARDINER,
WILLIAM WOOD.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

THE Directors, appointed to build the BRIDGE at Howland's Ferry, are desirous of obtaining information of the prices at which common STONE may be procured, for filling up the River at Howland's Ferry, to low-water mark.

All persons therefore are hereby notified, That the subscriber will attend at the Ferry-House of Col. COOK, in Tiverton, from the 24th day of March inst. to the 29th, to receive Proposals in Writing, signed by the Contractor, stating the number of Cords of Stone, which each individual will agree to furnish, and the price per cord, calculating a cord to contain 25 cubic feet.

Persons in the vicinity of Newport, may leave their Proposals at his House in Town.

D. LYMAN,
One of the Directors.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

Valuable ESTATES

To be Sold, on the 25th Instant, at PUBLIC AUCTION, viz.

THAT excellent Stand, now occupied by *William Moore & Co.* late the property and residence of *Thomas Green*, deceased, in Thames-Street, near the Red-Market.

ALSO,

THE Store now occupied by *Henry Moore, & Co.* in Market-Square, the situation of which for any kind of business cannot be exceeded in the town of Newport.

ALSO,

THE Estate now occupied by *Benjamin Wightman*, (Market-Square)—which is also an excellent Stand for business—the Chambers of which building, has long been occupied for a Boarding-House.

ALSO,

THE Store now occupied by *Thomas Earnsby*, next adjoining Westward of said *Benjamin Wightman*.

All which will be positively Sold, on said Day, (at 11 o'clock, A. M. on the premises) at 4—8—and 12 months credit, in equal payments.

Further particulars will be made known, at the time of Sale.

WILLIAM MOORE, jun.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

BY permission of the General Assembly, and under the direction of the Court of Probate for the town of Newport, on MONDAY the 31st of March inst. at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be exposed for Sale at Public Auction, at the South Ferry-House, in South-Kingstown—All the Right, Title, Interest, and property, of which *William R. Robinson*, late of Newport, deceased, died seized in and to a Tract of Land situated in South-Kingstown, containing about 50 acres.

And on TUESDAY, the first of April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be exposed for Sale, at Public Auction, on the premises—All the Right, Title, Interest and Property, which the said *William R. Robinson* died seized in and to One Acre and One Quarter of Land, situated in Newport, being the Lot purchased of *Samuel J. Potter*, Esq.—Conditions of Sale made known at the time and places before mentioned.

ANN ROBINSON, *Adm'x.*

Newport, March 14, 1806.

To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the 14th day of April, A. D. 1806, *at* XI *o'clock, A. M. subject to a Mortgage and the Widow's Right of Dower,*

ALL the Right, Title and Interest, of *William Shaw*, late of Newport, in the county of Newport, mariner deceased, in a certain Lot of Land consisting of about two acres, and situated in Newport aforesaid, on the east side of Thames-street, directly south of the estate occupied by Capt. *John Caboone*.—The sale will take place upon the premises, when and where the conditions of sale will be communicated.

GOLD S. SILLIMAN, *Adm'r.*

Newport, March 14, 1806.

To be SOLD, or LET,

And possession given the 25th of this month,

THAT pleasantly situated FARM, in the town of Middletown, belonging to the subscriber, about three miles distance from the State-House, now occupied by *George Hathaway*, which extends from the main west-road to the water on the river; consisting of about 230 acres of good Land, which lays very convenient for obtaining Manure, from an extensive shore, belonging to the Farm; with suitable Buildings in good repair.—The Land is well fenced, with an excellent young Orchard, containing between four and five acres of the best Fruit-Trees.—For terms apply to

JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

TO BE LET,

And possession given the 25th of March inst.

THE DWELLING-HOUSE situated in Broad-street, now improved by Mr. *Oliver Vare*, as a Boarding-House, with a barn, crib, &c. &c.—Also about 37 acres of excellent Land in the vicinity of the town of Newport, formerly the property of *Edward Simmons*, Esq. deceased.—For further particulars and terms apply to

EDWARD SIMMONS.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

FOR SALE,

TWO LOTS of LAND, situated on Easton's Point, with a good Well of Water thereon—For further particulars and terms apply to

JAMES MITCHELL.

Who has for SALE,

1500 Weight of Salt PORK—and a Horse-Cart.

Newport, 14th of 3d Month, 1806.

State of Rhode-Island and Providence-Plantations.

In GENERAL ASSEMBLY, Feb session, A. D. 1806

An Act further suspending an Act, entitled, "An Act for the limitation of certain personal actions."

BE it enacted by the General Assembly, and by the authority thereof it is enacted, That the operation of said act be so far suspended, that the same shall be considered as having first taken effect, and been in force, on the first day of February, A. D. 1801; and that the several limitations therein provided, shall operate and be effectual according to said act, computing from the said first day of February, A. D. 1801: And that this act be published in all the News-papers printed in this state.

A true Copy: Witness,

SAMUEL EDDY, *Sec'ry.*

Scheme of the East-Greenwich-Road LOTTERY.

THE Hon. General Assembly of the State of Rhode-Island, &c. at their sessions in February, A. D. 1806, having granted a Lottery for the purpose of repairing the Public Highway, leading from the Tide-Waters in the compact part of said Town of East-Greenwich, to the West boundary thereof, towards the State of Connecticut; and the subscribers having been appointed managers thereof, and given bonds as the law directs, present the following scheme:

CLASS I.

Prizes.	Dolls.					Dolls.	Dolls.
1	602	& 66	Tickets	2d class,	at 3 each	is	800
1	251	& 33	do	do	at 3 Dolls.	is	350
1	151	& 33	do	do	at do.		250
1	101	& 33	do	do	at do.		200
1	50	& 25	do	do	at do.		125
3	46	& 18	do	do	at do.		300
4	26	& 8	do	do	at do.		200
5	11	& 3	do	do	at do.		100
20	4	& 2	do	do	at do.		200
100	of 2 Tickets each in the 2d class is						600
700	of 1 50, & 1 Ticket in 2d class at do. is						3150
Last drawn Blank, is 100 Dolls. & 50 Tickets in 2d class,							250
							6525
For the use of the Institution,							800
						Dolls.	325
Reserved for the Third Class,							175
3500 Tickets, at 3 Dollars each, is							7500

CLASS II. is the same as above.

CLASS III.

Prizes.		Dollars.		Dollars.
1	of	1000	is	1000
1		300		300
4	of	100	are	400
4		50		200
6		25		150
20		10		200
800		5		4000
1st drawn Blank; on the last day's drawing, is				200
Last drawn Blank,				500
			Dollars,	6950
For the purposes of the Lottery,				900
			Dollars,	7850
2500 Tickets, at 3 Dollars, is				7500
Reserved from former Classes,				350
			Dollars,	7850

Not Two Blanks to a prize; and no deduction from the prizes. The Prizes will be paid in 90 days after the drawing of each respective class; and that part of the prizes, payable in tickets in any former class, will be paid on demand, immediately after a list of prizes shall be published. All prizes entitled to tickets in any former class, and not demanded, previous to the drawing of any succeeding class, shall be enclosed in a wrapper and sealed, and numbered on the back, corresponding with the number which drew the same, and lodged in the Office of the Town-Clerk for the said Town of East-Greenwich; to be delivered to the persons who may possess the tickets entitled to such prize.

All prizes not demanded within six months after the drawing of the last class shall be compleated, will be considered as generously given for the benefit of said Lottery, and appropriated accordingly.

The public attention, being at this time especially drawn, towards the repairs and improvements of public Roads; it is presumed that the patronage of a generous public, will enable the managers to commence the drawing in a very short time, of which due notice will be given, and a list of prizes published in due time.

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ELISHA WARNER.

Belcher-Town, March 4, 1806.

NEWPORT,

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1806.

FROM WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, 1806.

"I have not written you for some time, because there has been nothing of consequence to inform you of. Congress continue to do nothing, or what is worse than nothing. Trifling bills, foolish resolutions, and unimportant reports, employ their time, while the great concerns of the nation remain unnoticed. How can we account for this wilful neglect of duty?—For I can call it nothing else. I believe the true reason is, that the democrats are fearful of putting in execution those energetic measures, which they know are necessary for the honor and safety of the nation, because they will be obliged to impose taxes to support such measures.—They well know, that such a step would deprive them of their present power and popularity, earned by falsehood and deceit. Therefore, they mean to do nothing in reality, but make a show of something. For this purpose, the 100,000 militia bill was passed. A democratic member was heard to say, not long since, "that though Congress had been in session ten weeks, they had not done so much business, as they could easily have transacted in ten days. That he thought it more prudent to adjourn immediately, than continue in their present mode of wasting time and money." Now, if one of their own party confess their sins, may we not believe a *part* of what is said of their conduct, by every body?

"Yesterday, in the House of Representatives, Mr. Randolph revived his resolutions about the *removal of the Judges*, at the will of two-thirds of the legislature.—It was referred to the House for Monday next. A motion was made to have it postponed indefinitely, which quite roused Mr. Randolph, and loosed the strings of his tongue, which have for sometime been confined by illness. He lectured the House handsomely, for their unpardonable delays in the business of the nation, during his absence or sickness, and told them, in plain language, that they had done nothing. He said they moved the postponement of his resolutions, on pretence of acting upon more important business: when in fact, they intended no such thing, but merely to introduce some trifling question. So, said he, is every important question deferred on similar grounds, and *every thing*, left to the close of the session, when *nothing can* be done. What effect this lecture will have, I cannot say. Though Mr. Randolph is very sick, and looks more like a candidate for the grave, than a proper person to be in Congress, he is not inactive, but is again rallying his party, and may yet make a formidable appearance.

"In Senate the *appearance of something* is going on. Gen. Smith's bill, concerning our differences with Great-Britain, has passed, and is now before the President.—How he will determine is very dubious. If we negociate, it will be desirable to send a Minister; but how can that be done, without offending Monroe, by implying that he is inadequate to the business? Mr. Madison, perhaps, would have no objection to this step; but the President has not, and I think will not, consent to it.—The committee are prepared to report a bill in favor of the claimants in the Yazoo Business.—The brig Hornet, will certainly sail from New-York soon, because the officers have left Washington."

February 28.

"The House of Representatives have been most of the day engaged on Dawson's resolutions appropriating 150,000 dollars for fortifications, building gun-boats and six line of battle-ships. The resolutions will be called up again on Thursday next. I think they will all pass.—The Senate having requested the President to send an Envoy extra to England, it is every day expected an appointment will be made: who it will be you know as well as I. Among the guessers, I have heard only the names of Burr, King, and S. Smith."

Impressment of Seamen.—Mr. Smith has introduced to the Senate of the United States, a new bill respecting the impressment of seamen. By it any person who shall impress *any seaman* sailing under the American flag, is to be considered and treated as a pirate, if afterwards found in the United States; and every American seaman impressed, to be allowed dollars for every month he may be detained, recoverable by attachment of any private debt, due from any citizen of the United States to any subject of the government by whose subjects he had been impressed and detained.

Mr. Mitchell, from a committee on the subject, has reported to the Senate, that it is expedient to appropriate any unexpended balance of the Mediterranean fund, to the building of ships of the line.

An embargo was expected at the Havanna on the 15th of Feb. last.

The Hon. William Tilghman, a Federal Republican, has been appointed, by Gov. M'Kean, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

A gentleman lately arrived at Norfolk, from the Havanna, says that an order was issued there before he left that place, prohibiting the exportation of *Sugars*—not *Segars*, as is erroneously stated in some of the papers.—We mention this to tranquilize the agitated minds of the *Smokers*.

The Spanish government has highly approved the conduct of its officers and seamen, off Cape Trafalgar. Admiral Gravina, has been promoted to be Captain-General of the fleet; Admiral Alava has been invested with the Grand Gross of Charles III. and Admiral Escano made a Lieutenant-General. All the Admirals and officers have been promoted a step. No less than ten Spanish Admirals and commodores; and ten Captains of frigates, were killed or wounded in that dreadful battle.

Mr. Wright's famous bill respecting the impressment of American Seamen, has been taken up in the Senate of the United States and the whole of it struck out except the words "BE IT ENACTED"! A new bill was then introduced, which was also rejected.

The Legislature of Massachusetts has passed a resolve granting 10,000 acres of Land to WM. EATON, Esq. in consideration of his gallant services in the Mediterranean.

Joseph Warner Rose, of the Island of Antigua, has been appointed American commercial agent for that Island.

Mr. SAMUEL WEBBER, A. M. Hollis Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy at the University in Cambridge, (Mass.) is elected President of that Seminary, by the Corporation.

A letter from Washington, dated March 4, 1806, says, "The non-intercourse resolutions will all pass off *in fumo*; and to finish the business completely, ARMSTRONG and BOWDOIN are talked off as the Ambassadors-Extraordinary to *Great-Britain! ! ! !*"

Miranda's Expedition.—The secret expedition which lately left New-York, continues a subject of speculation. Several eminent citizens of New-York have been arrested and examined, by the officers of the general government, on suspicion of being concerned in it. It appears that the administration were entirely unacquainted with respect to the armament, till after its sailing.

The editor of the *Richmond Enquirer* says he has obtained information of this expedition, which the public may rely on:—That its destination is really SOUTH-AMERICA—and its object the overthrow of the Spanish power in that quarter: that, from motives of resentment against Spain, Gen. Miranda, its prime mover (a native of Mexico) has long contemplated the project, and more than once been promised assistance from European governments: that he is now unsupported by any government—that the whole is private enterprise—and that, unless a *miracle* should interpose, he will succeed.

New-London Gazette.

MARRIED.—In this town, on Sunday evening last, Capt. JAMES BARKER, to Miss MARY ANTHONY, daughter of Capt. Daniel Anthony.

DIED.—In this town, on the 11th inst. Mrs. RUTH EASTON, consort of Mr. John Easton.

—On the 13th inst. Mr. GILES HOSIER, in the 81st year of his age.

—On the coast of Africa, on board the brig Alfred, on the 3d of December last, Mr. SOLOMON GODDARD, of this town, son of the late Mr. Townsend Goddard, in the 22d year of his age; an enterprising promising young man. His death is much lamented by his relatives and acquaintance.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of NEWPORT, March 14

ENTERED,
NONE.

CLEARED,	For
Sloop Mary, Brown,	Baltimore
Polly, Turner,	Ditto
Brig Russell, Newton,	Havanna
Agenoria, Landers,	Ditto
Lucinda, Shove,	Edenton
Sloop Fame, Lawton,	New-York
Polly, Bliss,	Ditto

To be LEASED,

For the Term of Three Years, from the 25th of this present Month,

A LOT of LAND, containing eight and one-half acres, part of the Farm at the north end of Newport, late belonging to *Henry Bliss*, Esq. deceased.—Any person wishing to Hire the same, may know the terms, by applying to either of the subscribers,

J. BOURS,
BENJAMIN GARDINER,
WILLIAM WOOD.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

THE Directors, appointed to build the BRIDGE at Howland's Ferry, are desirous of obtaining information of the prices at which common STONE may be procured, for filling up the River at Howland's Ferry, to low-water mark.

All persons therefore are hereby notified, That the subscriber will attend at the Ferry-House of Col. COOK, in Tiverton, from the 24th day of March inst. to the 29th, to receive Proposals in Writing, signed by the Contractor, stating the number of Cords of Stone, which each individual will agree to furnish, and the price per cord, calculating a cord to contain 25 cubic feet.

Persons in the vicinity of Newport, may leave their Proposals at his House in Town.

D. LYMAN,
One of the Directors.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

Valuable ESTATES

To be Sold, on the 25th Instant, at PUBLIC AUCTION, viz.

THAT excellent Stand, now occupied by *William Moore & Co.* late the property and residence of *Thomas Green*, deceased, in Thames-Street, near the Red-Market.

ALSO,

THE Store now occupied by *Henry Moore, & Co.* in Market-Square, the situation of which for any kind of business cannot be exceeded in the town of Newport.

ALSO,

THE Estate now occupied by *Benjamin Wightman*, (Market-Square)—which is also an excellent Stand for business—the Chambers of which building, has long been occupied for a Boarding-House.

ALSO,

THE Store now occupied by *Thomas Earnsby*, next adjoining Westward of said *Benjamin Wightman*.

All which will be positively Sold, on said Day, (at 11 o'clock, A. M. on the premises) at 4—8—and 12 months credit, in equal payments.

Further particulars will be made known, at the time of Sale.

WILLIAM MOORE, jun.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

BY permission of the General Assembly, and under the direction of the Court of Probate for the town of Newport, on MONDAY the 31st of March inst. at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be exposed for Sale at Public Auction, at the South Ferry-House, in South-Kingstown—All the Right, Title, Interest, and property, of which *William R. Robinson*, late of Newport, deceased, died seized in and to a Tract of Land situated in South-Kingstown, containing about 50 acres.

And on TUESDAY, the first of April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be exposed for Sale, at Public Auction, on the premises—All the Right, Title, Interest and Property, which the said *William R. Robinson* died seized in and to One Acre and One Quarter of Land, situated in Newport, being the Lot purchased of *Samuel J. Potter*, Esq.—Conditions of Sale made known at the times and places before mentioned.

ANN ROBINSON, *Adm'x.*

Newport, March 14, 1806.

To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the 14th day of April, A. D. 1806, at XI o'clock, A. M. subject to a Mortgage and the Widow's Right of Dower,

ALL the Right, Title and Interest, of *William Shaw*, late of Newport, in the county of Newport, mariner deceased, in a certain Lot of Land consisting of about two acres, and situated in Newport aforesaid, on the east side of Thames-street, directly south of the estate occupied by Capt. *John Caboone*.—The sale will take place upon the premises, when and where the conditions of sale will be communicated.

GOLD S. SILLIMAN, *Adm'r.*

Newport, March 14, 1806.

To be SOLD, or LET,

And possession given the 25th of this month,

THAT pleasantly situated FARM, in the town of Middletown, belonging to the subscriber, about three miles distance from the State-House, now occupied by *George Hathaway*, which extends from the main west-road to the water on the river; consisting of about 230 acres of good Land, which lays very convenient for obtaining Manure, from an extensive shore, belonging to the Farm; with suitable Buildings in good repair.—The Land is well fenced, with an excellent young Orchard, containing between four and five acres of the best Fruit-Trees.—For terms apply to

JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

TO BE LET,

And possession given the 25th of March inst.

THE DWELLING-HOUSE situated in Broad-street, now improved by Mr. *Oliver Vare*, as a Boarding-House, with a barn, crib, &c. &c.—Also about 37 acres of excellent Land in the vicinity of the town of Newport, formerly the property of *Edward Simmons*, Esq. deceased.—For further particulars and terms apply to

EDWARD SIMMONS.

Newport, March 14, 1806.

FOR SALE,

TWO LOTS of LAND, situated on Easton's Point, with a good Well of Water thereon—For further particulars and terms apply to

JAMES MITCHELL.

Who has for SALE,

1500 Weight of Salt PORK—and a Horse-Cart.

Newport, 14th of 3d Month, 1806.

State of Rhode-Island and Providence-Plantations.

In GENERAL ASSEMBLY, Feb session, A. D. 1806

An Act further suspending an Act, entitled, "An Act for the limitation of certain personal actions."

BE it enacted by the General Assembly, and by the authority thereof it is enacted, That the operation of said act be so far suspended, that the same shall be considered as having first taken effect, and been in force, on the first day of February, A. D. 1801; and that the several limitations therein provided, shall operate and be effectual according to said act, computing from the said first day of February, A. D. 1801: And that this act be published in all the News-papers printed in this state.

A true Copy: Witness,

SAMUEL EDDY, *Sec'ry.*

Scheme of the East-Greenwich-Road LOTTERY.

THE Hon. General Assembly of the State of Rhode-Island, &c. at their sessions in February, A. D. 1806, having granted a Lottery for the purpose of repairing the Public Highway, leading from the Tide-Waters in the compact part of said Town of East-Greenwich, to the West boundary thereof, towards the State of Connecticut; and the subscribers having been appointed managers thereof, and given bonds as the law directs, present the following scheme:

CLASS I.

Prizes.		Dolls.				Dolls.	Dolls.
1	602	& 66	Tickets	2d class,	at 3	each is	800
1	251	& 33	do	do	at 3	Dolls. is	350
1	151	& 33	do	do	at	do.	250
1	101	& 33	do	do	at	do.	200
1	50	& 25	do	do	at	do.	125
3	46	& 18	do	do	at	do.	300
4	26	& 8	do	do	at	do.	200
5	11	& 3	do	do	at	do.	100
20	4	& 2	do	do	at	do.	200
100	of	2	Tickets each in the 2d class is				600
700	of	1	50, & 1 Ticket in 2d class at do. is				3150
Last drawn Blank, is 100 Dolls. & 50 Tickets in 2d class,							250
							6525
For the use of the Institution,							800
						Dolls.	325
Reserved for the Third Class,							175
2500 Tickets, at 3 Dollars each, is							7500

CLASS II. is the same as above.

CLASS III.

Prizes.		Dollars.		Dollars.
1	of	1000	is	1000
1		300		300
4	of	100	are	400
4		50		200
6		25		150
20		10		200
800		5		4000
1st drawn Blank; on the last day's drawing, is				200
Last drawn Blank,				500
			Dollars,	6950
For the purposes of the Lottery,				900
			Dollars,	7850
2500 Tickets, at 3 Dollars, is				7500
Reserved from former Classes,				350
			Dollars,	7850

Not Two Blanks to a prize; and no deduction from the prizes. The Prizes will be paid in 90 days after the drawing of each respective class; and that part of the prizes, payable in tickets in any former class, will be paid on demand, immediately after a list of prizes shall be published. All prizes entitled to tickets in any former class, and not demanded, previous to the drawing of any succeeding class, shall be enclosed in a wrapper and sealed, and numbered on the back, corresponding with the number which drew the same, and lodged in the Office of the Town-Clerk for the said Town of East-Greenwich; to be delivered to the persons who may possess the tickets entitled to such prize.

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ELISHA WARNER.

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POETRY.

The following beautiful verſes by Mrs. OPIE, are truly deſcriptive of that inſidious and reſiſtleſs diſeaſe which ſo much ſwells our bills of mortality, and ſo often conſumes the ſweeteſt and the faireſt of the tender ſex.

FROM MRS. OPIE'S POEMS.

CONSUMPTION! faireſt of death's craving brood,
But oh, moſt treacherous! hence, thou ſmiling fate,
From thoſe I love; for thou art ſkill'd to play
A dread variety of hopes and fears
Upon the heart's beſt feelings. Specious foe!
Thy flattering hand paints the poor victim's cheeks
With roſes, mocking health's rich bloom, and gives
The ſinking eye ſuch luſtre as adorns
Love's eager glance. Thou cloth'ſt thy deſtin'd prey
In glowing charms it ne'er could boaſt before—
As victims were of old with flowers adorn'd,
Before they bled in Pagan ſacrifice,
And as the ſchool boy, whoſe expected ſport,
Adown ſome favourite walk, thick gath'ring clouds
And falling rains prevent; if he beheld
One partial gleam of ſun-ſhine, thinks, fond youth;
That general ſplendour's gradual blake is near.
So hanging o'er thy victim's reſtleſs bed,
With breath ſuſpended, vainly anxious friends
Watch thy fair ſeemings, which to them appear
Pledges that danger's paſt, pledges as pure
As to the patriarch's eye the radiant arch
Of ever varying hues; but even then,
In that confiding moment, treacherous power!
Death ſteals upon ſecurity, and graſps
The lovely conqueſt, triumphing the while,
And ſmiling midſt the beauty thou haſt *made*.—
Ye who have anxiouſly and fondly watch'd
Beſide a fading friend, unconſcious ſtill
The cheeks' bright crimſon, lovely to the view,
Like night ſhade with unwholeſome beauty bloom,
And that the ſufferer's bright dilated eye,
Like mouldering wood, owes to decay alone
Its wond'rous luſtre; ye who ſtill have hop'd,
Even in death's dread preſence, till at length
Have heard the ſummons, O heart-freezing call!
To pay the laſt ſad duties, and to hear
Upon the ſilent dwelling's narrow lid
The firſt earth thrown (ſound dreadful to the ſoul!
For, ſtrange deluſion! then, and then alone,
Hope ſeems forever fled and the dread pang
Of final ſeparation to begin)
Ye who have felt all this! O pay my verſe
The mournful meed of ſympathy, and own,
Own with a ſigh, the ſombre picture's juſt.

SATURDAY'S MONITOR.
No. LXIV.

To aid the cauſe of Virtue and Religion.

ON INJURY.

WERE right and juſtice preſerved with exactneſs, earth would be a heaven to live in, and the life of man like that of angels. No crouded throngs would fill our law tribunals, nor armed troops deveſtate our fruitful fields. Every injury is a petty war, inwardly tending to ſome degree of murther or theft, therefore a breach of God's commandments; and though perhaps it may ſeem to proſper a little while, till the wheel of Providence has performed its round, yet doubtleſs it is ſhort-lived, and drags its own puniſhment after it. There are two parts of a chriſtian's life—to ſhun wrong, and to do what is right; and theſe form one great united precept—'eſchew evil and do good.'—Even natural light reveals the blackneſs of wrong, and that religion ſhines but dimly that does not diſcover it. They wound religion to the quick that, ſlighting its practice, ſhew it to the world with adulterated ſpots. The Pagan tribunal is preferable to ſome chriſtian conventions that have appeared in the world. A true chriſtian dares not offer wrong. Religion from above is pure and peaceable; but injuſtice and wrong are the fuel of war, and in the end we ſhall find them a warfare againſt ourſelves. He that can allow himſelf to do injury, makes his favors to be ſuſpected as ſnares—What are formalities of religion, if a man's life bring a ſcandal on what he profeſſes? The commiſſion of one wrong wants a thouſand more to protect it: injury by injury is defended; we commit the greater to maintain the leſs: one falſehood begets another, till generations ſucceed—A rebel hardens his own heart, engageth his friends, oppreſſeth his fellows, involves his relations, murthers the loyal, and like a torrent lets in all that can tend to confuſion: and what is the condition of man, when both tables of the commandments are eraſed from his heart!

FOR SALE,
At the office of the Newport Mercury,

LIFE of Gen. MOREAU, price 87½ Cents.
2d edition of WAR IN DISGUISE, price 75 Cents.
ANSWER TO WAR IN DISGUISE, price 50 Cents.

To be Sold, or Leaſed,
And poſſeſſion given the 25th of March next,

THE eſtate belonging to the Marine Society, now in the occupation of Capt. John Warren, ſituated on Eaſton's point, bounded on Waſhington and Poplar Streets; a pleaſant and airy ſituation.—Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, (which would be preferred) or hire, will pleaſe apply to the ſubſcribers,

BENJAMIN PEIRCE,
WILLIAM WOOD,
EDWARD EASTON,
JOHN CAHOONE
GEORGE TOPHAM,
} *Committee.*

NEW GOODS.

SOLOMON TOWNSEND & CO.
At their Old Stand in Thames-Street,

Have juſt received, in addition to their former aſſortment, a ſupply of new Goods, purchaſed in New-York with caſh, which they are determined to ſell as low by wholeſale or retail, as can anywhere be purchaſed in Newport; among which are,

EXCELLENT Dutch black Cloth
Beſt ſuperfine Engliſh blue and black, and mixed ditto
Second and low-priced ditto
Superfine black, and other Caſſimeres
Fine ſhirting Cottons
Iriſh Linens and Diapers
Velvets and cotton Caſſimeres
Mens fine cotton Hoſe
Mens black and white Engliſh ſilk ditto
Mens white and black ſilk Gloves
Black Crapes, Paraſoles, Threads, Tapes, Pins, &c.
Dunants and Ruſſells
Fine and common Flannel
2 dozen excellent Luteſtring Umbrellas
India Cotton, different qualities
Bed-Tick and brown Linen
6-4 and 9-8 cambrick Muſlins
Fine, mull, and India Book ditto
Ladies long and habit ſilk Gloves
Extra-long and habit do Sattins and Modes
French and India Luteſtrings
Fine white and black Laces
Cotton and linen Table-Cloths, from 6-4 to 12-4
5-4, 6-4, 7-4, and 8-4 ſilk mixed Shawls
Chambray Muſlins
Very cheap India and Engliſh Calicoes, &c. &c. &c.

Newport, June 4, 1805.

Will be Sold at public AUCTION,
On the 21ſt of this Month, and poſſeſſion given the 7th (if not previouſly diſpoſed of at private Sale).

ONE of the beſt ſtands for buſineſs in Newport, ſituated in Thames-ſtreet, between the markets, having a large ſtore in front, a bake-houſe with an excellent oven, a pump of water, a ſmall garden, two dwelling-rooms on the lower-floor, five chambers, &c. &c.—For further particulars enquire of

JEREMIAH AUSTIN, jun.
Newport, 1ſt of 3d mon. 1806.

To be Sold at public AUCTION,
On the 25th of March, at eleven o'Clock, A. M. on the premiſes (if not previouſly diſpoſed of at private Sale)

A Three Story Dwelling-Houſe, ſituated in Charles-ſtreet, No. 6 and 7, now improved by JOHN TABYETT.—The conditions will be made known at the time and place of ſale.—It has formerly been improved, and is well-calculated for a Boarding-Houſe.

S. & J. LOPEZ, *Aut'rs.*
February 28, 1806.

To be ſold at PUBLIC VENDUE,
The 22d of the third Month next enſuing, at 2 o'Clock, A. M. on the Premiſes,

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Offers for Sale, on the loweſt Terms, the following Aſſortment of GROCERIES, and other kinds of GOODS, which he warrants to be of the firſt Quality, at Wholeſale and Retail, viz.

SHERRY, Liſbon and Malaga Wines.
Cogniac Brandy; beſt Holland Geneva.
Jamaica, Weſt-India, New-England and Cherry Rum.
Molaſſes; Turks-Iſland Salt; 7 barrels good Vinegar.
Loaf, lump, white, powdered and brown Sugars.
Hyſon, hyſon-ſkin, ſouchong and bohea Teas.
Coffee; Boſton Chocolate, No. 1 and 2.
Freſh caſk Raiſins; Mace; Nutmegs; Cloves.
Cinnamon; Caſſia; Alſpice; Pepper; Ginger.
New-York Soap; Candles; Rice.
Virginia head Tobacco; Florant Indigo; cotton and wool Cards; men's and women's Shoes.
Iron Shovels; hour and half-hour Glaſſes.
Sieve-Bottoms; Runlets, from 2, 4, and 6 gallons; Water Pails; Ship Buckets; Bed-Cords.
Deep-Sea Lines; Log-Lines; Cod-Lines.
Houſe-Bruſhes; Shoe-Bruſhes; 1 box Tackle-blocks.
Beſt Superfine FLOUR.
An aſſortment of Crockery and Glaſs Ware.
Alſo a good aſſortment of Cutlery, Hard Ware and Dry Goods; with many other articles, too tedious for an advertiſement.

TO BE LET,

The upper part of a Dwelling-Houſe, with a convenient Kitchen below, with the privilege of the Fountain-Water, leading into ſaid kitchen, with an excellent Cellar, clear from the high Tides.—Apply as above.
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Now landing from the Brig Hope, and for ſale
By JOSEPH LYON,
At his Wharf

FOUR thouſand buſhels of Liverpool Salt.
Eighty Crates of Liverpool aſſorted Ware.
Six Chaldrons of good Coal.

He has alſo for ſale,
A quantity of Pitch and Tar.

WILLIAM CROOKE
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AN aſſortment of genuine Wines.
Jamaica Spirits per hogſhead.
St. Croix Rum per do.
Beſt Holland Geneva per pipe.
1ſt and 4th-proof Cognac, and 4th do. Barcelona } Brandy per pipe.
30 quarter-caſks excellent Sherry Wine.
An aſſortment of good Teas.
Bourbon Coffee per bag.
Brown Sugar per hogſhead, box or barrel.
Cotton per bale.
Beſt Negro-head Tobacco per keg.
Pigtail per roll.
York Soap per box.

Alſo a general and large aſſortment of Groceries, Crockery and Glaſs-Ware, at Wholeſale and Retail. Newport, Oct. 2, 1804.

NOW Landing, at Long-Wharf; the Cargo of the Ship GEORGE WASHINGTON, from St. Peterſburgh, conſiſting of
90 Tons clean Hemp;
45 Do. old Sable Iron. } Flat Bars.
30 Do. new Sable Do. }
15 Do. old Do. Do. 3-4, 1, and 1 1-4 inches ſquare.
2 Do. Yellow Tallow.
2 Do. Flax.

Ruſſia and Raven's Duck, of the firſt Quality, for ſale, by

SIMEON & EDWARD MARTIN,

For Caſh, or unqueſtionable Notes *only*, at either Bank.
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S. MALBONE,
Offers for Sale the following Articles, at his Store, No. 51, Thames-Street,

BEST Holland's Gin per Pipe.
Glaſs Ware (aſſorted) per box.
Linens per do. or piece.
Ticklenburgs per do. or do.
Iſle of France Indigo per cwt.
Do. Sugar per bag.
Havanna brown and white Sugars per box.

With a general Aſſortment of Groceries at Retail. *Newport, Dec.* 13, 1805.

Pocket and Family Bibles, &c.
Juſt received from Philadelphia, and for Sale at the office of the Newport Mercury,

QUARTO and OCTAVO BIBLES, bound in ſheep, calf and Morocco, with and without Plates, ſome with *Oſterwald's* Notes, at various prices, from 2 dollars and 50 cents, to 18 dollars. *Alſo,*

POCKET BIBLES, printed on a beautiful new type, and fine paper, in various bindings; prices from 1 dollar 25 cents, to 2 dollars 25 cts. *Alſo,*

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May be had as above,

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FOR SALE BY
MEIN & ROGERS,

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HAVANNA Molaſſes, ſuitable for Retailing—for Sale, by

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TO BE LET,
And entered the 15th of February next,

THAT large, commodious Houſe and Garden-Lot, formerly the property of *Auguſtus Johnſton*, Eſq. now in the poſſeſſion of Capt. *William Wood*.—For terms apply to

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TO LET,

A HOUSE on the Point pleaſantly ſituated, with a good Well of Water and large Cellar, on reaſonable terms. Poſſeſſion given immediately. Apply to

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ROBERT DENNIS, jun.
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HAS taken the Chamber over Meſſrs. *Mein* and *Rogers* Store No. 77 in Thames-ſtreet, where the Book-binding Buſineſs will be carried on in its various branches; Account-Books, with or without ſpring backs, ruled to any pattern. Any orders in the above buſineſs will be executed with punctuality and diſpatch.

He has for Sale,

An aſſortment of Stationary; among which are the following, viz. Letter and common Writing-Paper; Sealing-Wax; Wafers; Dutch Quills from No. 6 to 16; Ink-Powder, red and black; Ink-ſtands; Sand-boxes; Blanks of various kinds; School-Books, &c. &c.

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Collector 1ſt Diſtrict.
Collectors Office, Dec. 1, 1805.

STEUBEN'S MILITARY TACTICS,

Embelliſhed with nine Plates; for ſale, at the office of the Newport Mercury; price 75 Cents.

POETRY.

The following beautiful verſes by Mrs. OPIE, are truly deſcriptive of that inſidious and reſiſtleſs diſeaſe which ſo much ſwells our bills of mortality, and ſo often conſumes the ſweeteſt and the faireſt of the tender ſex.

FROM MRS. OPIE'S POEMS.

CONSUMPTION! faireſt of death's craving brood,
But oh, moſt treachereus! hence, thou ſmiling fate,
From thoſe I love; for thou art ſkill'd to play
A dread variety of hopes and fears
Upon the heart's beſt feelings. Specious foe!
Thy flattering hand paints the poor victim's cheeks
With roſes, mocking health's rich bloom, and gives
The ſinking eye ſuch luſtre as adorns
Love's eager glance. Thou cloth'ſt thy deſtin'd prey
In glowing charms it ne'er could boaſt before—
As victims were of old with flowers adorn'd,
Before they bled in Pagan ſacrifice,
And as the ſchool boy, whoſe expected ſport,
Adown ſome favourite walk, thick gath'ring clouds
And falling rains prevent; if he behold
One partial gleam of ſun-ſhine, thinks, fond youth;
That general ſplendour's gradual blaze is near.
So hanging o'er thy victim's reſtleſs bed,
With breath ſuſpended, vainly anxious friends
Watch thy fair ſeemings, which to them appear
Pledges that danger's paſt, pledges as pure
As to the patriarch's eye the radiant arch
Of ever varying hues; but even then,
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Death ſteals upon ſecurity, and graſps
The lovely conqueſt, triumphing the while,
And ſmiling midſt the beauty thou haſt made.—
Ye who have anxiouſly and fondly watch'd
Beſide a fading friend, unconſcious ſtill
The cheeks' bright crimſon, lovely to the view,
Like night ſhade with unwholeſome beauty bloom,
And that the ſufferer's bright dilated eye,
Like mouldering wood, owes to decay alone
Its wond'rous luſtre; ye who ſtill have hop'd,
Even in death's dread preſence, till at length
Have heard the ſummons, O heart-freezing call!
To pay the laſt ſad duties, and to hear
Upon the ſilent dwelling's narrow lid
The firſt earth thrown (ſound dreadful to the ſoul!
For, ſtrange deluſion! then, and then alone,
Hope ſeems forever fled and the dread pang
Of final ſeparation to begin)
Ye who have felt all this! O pay my verſe
The mournful meed of ſympathy, and own,
Own with a ſigh, the ſombre picture's juſt.

SATURDAY's MONITOR.
No. LXIV.

To aid the cauſe of Virtue and Religion.

ON INJURY.

WERE right and juſtice preſerved with exactneſs, earth would be a heaven to live in, and the life of man like that of angels. No crouded throngs would fill our law tribunals, nor armed troops deveſtate our fruitful fields. Every injury is a petty war, inwardly tending to ſome degree of murther or theft, therefore a breach of God's commandments; and though perhaps it may ſeem to proſper a little while, till the wheel of Providence has performed its round, yet doubtleſs it is ſhort-lived, and drags its own puniſhment after it. There are two parts of a chriſtian's life—to ſhun wrong, and to do what is right; and theſe form one great united precept—'eſchew evil and do good.'—Even natural light reveals the blackneſs of wrong, and that religion ſhines but dimly that does not diſcover it. They wound religion to the quick that, ſlighting its practice, ſhew it to the world with adulterated ſpots. The Pagan tribunal is preferable to ſome chriſtian conventions that have appeared in the world. A true chriſtian dares not offer wrong. Religion from above is pure and peaceable; but injuſtice and wrong are the fuel of war, and in the end we ſhall find them a warfare againſt ourſelves. He that can allow himſelf to do injury, makes his favors to be ſuſpected as ſnares—What are formalities of religion, if a man's life bring a ſcandal on what he profeſſes? The commiſſion of one wrong wants a thouſand more to protect it: injury by injury is defended; we commit the greater to maintain the leſs: one falſehood begets another, till generations ſucceed—A rebel hardens his own heart, engageth his friends, oppreſſeth his fellows, involves his relations, murthers the loyal, and like a torrent lets in all that can tend to confuſion: and what is the condition of man, when both tables of the commandments are eraſed from his heart?

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LIFE of Gen. MOREAU, price 87½ Cents.
2d edition of WAR IN DISGUISE, price 75 Cents.
ANSWER TO WAR IN DISGUISE, price 50 Cents.

To be Sold, or Leaſed,

And poſſeſſion given the 25th of March next,

THE eſtate belonging to the Marine Society, now in the occupation of Capt. John Warren, ſituated on Eaſton's point, bounded on Waſhington and Poplar Streets; a pleaſant and airy ſituation.—Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, (which would be preferred) or hire, will pleaſe apply to the ſubſcribers,

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NEW GOODS.

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EXCELLENT Dutch black Cloth
Beſt ſuperfine Engliſh blue and black, and mixed ditto
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Iriſh Linens and Diapers
Velvets and cotton Caſſimeres
Mens fine cotton Hoſe
Mens black and white Engliſh ſilk ditto
Mens white and black ſilk Gloves
Black Crapes, Paraſoles, Threads, Tapes, Pins. &c.
Durants and Ruſſells
Fine and common Flannel
2 dozen excellent Lutes-ſtring Umbrellas
India Cotton, different qualities
Bed-Tick and brown Linen
6-4 and 9-8 cambrick Muſlins
Fine, mull, and India Book ditto
Ladies long and habit ſilk Gloves
Extra-long and habit do
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French and India Lute-ſtrings
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HAS FOR SALE,

On the moſt reaſonable Terms.

A QUANTITY of Ship and Cabin-Bread; Alexandria and New-York Flour, of the firſt quality; Molaſſes by the gallon; coarſe and blown Salt by the buſhel; Ginger and Pearl-Aſh by retail.—Alſo Myſtic Tyle by the dozen, and Philadelphia Bricks by the hundred.

SAMUEL F. GARDNER,

No. 6, Market-quare,

Offers for Sale, on the loweſt Terms, the following Aſſortment of GROCERIES, and other kinds of GOODS, which he warrants to be of the firſt Quality, at Wholeſale and Retail, viz.

SHERRY, Liſbon and Malaga Wines.
Cogniac Brandy; beſt Holland Geneva.
Jamaica, Weſt-India, New-England and Cherry Rum.
Molaſſes; Turks-Iſland Salt; 7 barrels good Vinegar.
Loaf, lump, white, powdered and brown Sugars.
Hyſon, hyſon-ſkin, ſouchong and bohea Teas.
Coffee; Boſton Chocolate, No. 1 and 2.
Freſh caſk Raiſins; Mace; Nutmegs; Cloves.
Cinnamon; Caſſia; Alſpice; Pepper; Ginger.
New-York Soap; Candles; Rice.
Virginia head Tobacco; Flotant Indigo; cotton and wool Cards; men's and women's Shoes.
Iron Shovels; hour and half-hour Glaſſes.
Sieve-Bottoms; Runlets, from 2, 4 and 6 gallons; Water Pails; Ship Buckets; Bed-Cords.
Deep-Sea Lines; Log-Lines; Cod-Lines.
Houſe-Bruſhes; Shoe-Bruſhes; 1 box Ticklinburghs.
Beſt Superfine FLOUR.
An aſſortment of Crockery and Glaſs Ware.
Alſo a good aſſortment of Cutlery, Hard Ware and Dry Goods; with many other articles, too tedious for an advertiſement.

TO BE LET,

The upper part of a Dwelling-Houſe, with a convenient Kitchen below, with the privilege of the Fountain-Water, leading into ſaid kitchen, with an excellent Cellar, clear from the high Tides.—Apply as above.

Newport, January 3, 1806.

Now landing from the Brig Hope, and for ſale

By JOSEPH LYON,

At his Wharf

FOUR thouſand buſhels of Liverpool Salt,
Eighty Crates of Liverpool aſſorted Ware,
Six Chaldrons of good Coal.

He has alſo for ſale,

A quantity of Pitch and Tar.

WILLIAM CROOKE

Offers for Sale,

AN aſſortment of genuine Wines.
Jamaica Spirits per hogſhead.
St. Croix Rum per do.
Beſt Holland Geneva per pipe.
1ſt and 4th-proof Cognac, and 4th " do. Barcelona } Brandy per pipe.
30 quarter-caſks excellent Sherry Wine.
An aſſortment of good Teas.
Bourbon Coffee per bag.
Brown Sugar per hogſhead, box or barrel.
Cotton per bale.
Beſt Negro-head Tobacco per keg.
Pigtail per roll.
York Soap per box.

Alſo a general and large aſſortment of Groceries, Crockery and Glaſs-Ware, at Wholeſale and Retail. Newport, Oct. 2, 1804.

NOW Landing, at Long-Wharf; the Cargo of the Ship GEORGE WASHINGTON, from St. Peterſburgh, conſiſting of

90 Tons clean Hemp;
45 Do. old Sable Iron. } Flat Bars.
30 Do. new Sable Do. }
15 Do. old Do. Do. 3-4, 1, and 1 1-4 inches ſquare.
2 Do. Yellow Tallow.
2 Do. Flax.

Ruſſia and Raven's Duck, of the firſt Quality, for ſale, by

SIMEON & EDWARD MARTIN,

For Caſh, or unqueſtionable Notes *only*, at either Bank.

Newport, November 7, 1805.

S. MALBONE,

Offers for Sale the following Articles, at his Store, No. 51, Thames-Street,

BEST Holland's Gin per Pipe.
Glaſs Ware (aſſorted) per box.
Linens per do. or piece.
Tickienburgs per do. or do.
Iſle of-France Indigo per cwt.
Do. Sugar per bag
Havanna brown and white Sugars per box.

With a general Aſſortment of Groceries at Retail. *Newport, Dec.* 13, 1805.

Pocket and Family Bibles, &c.

Juſt received from Philadelphia, and for Sale at the office of the Newport Mercury,

QUARTO and OCTAVO BIBLES, bound in ſheep, calf and Morocco, with and without Plates, ſome with *Oſtervald's* Notes, at various prices, from 2 dollars and 50 cents, to 12 dollars. *Alſo,*

POCKET BIBLES, printed on a beautiful new type, and fine paper, in various bindings; prices from 1 dollar 25 cents, to 2 dollars 25 cts. *Alſo,*

A beautiful Edition of the BIBLE, in 4 vols. octavo, printed on a large fair type, and fine wove paper—This is the moſt convenient Bible, for Family uſe, ever publiſhed, as the volumes are of a convenient ſize for uſe, and the type as large as in folio Bibles, and four perſons can be uſing the different Volumes at the ſame time—it is peculiarly well calculated for the uſe of aged perſons, and of thoſe who have weak eyes. Price of the four Vols. printed on a beautiful paper, and well bound, is 10 dollars.

May be had as above,

WATTS's Pſalms and Hymns, printed on a large type and good paper, ſuitable for aged perſons—and ſome very ſmall, convenient for the pocket—*Alſo,* CHURCH PRAYER-BOOKS, various editions, ſome in octavo, on a large type, and ſome very ſmall, in various bindings.

Newport, March 1, 1806.

HEMP, DUCK, & IRON.

EARL & ALLSTON,

At their Store on HANDY'S *Wharf, offer for Sale,*

A FEW Tons of St. Peterſburgh's clean Hemp
Ruſſia and Raven's Duck.
Ruſſia and Philadelphia Bar-Iron.
14 Tierces New Rice; 20 half-barrels Beef; Molaſſes by the hogſhead; and as uſual, an extenſive aſſortment of Ship-Chandlery, &c.

Newport, October 11, 1805.

A FEW Quarter-caſks of Old Sherry Wine—Havanna Sugar in boxes and barrels—and beſt retailing Molaſſes, to be Sold by SAMUEL VERNON, jun. Store NO. 53, Long-Wharf.

Newport, Jan. 31, 1806.

FOR SALE BY
MEIN & ROGERS,

THE Cargo of the Brig Lucinda, Capt. Shaw, from Jamaica, conſiſting of 174 hogſheads 4th-proof Rum.

Newport, Feb. 7, 1806.

FOR SALE,

ONE undred and Fifty Barrels of the beſt Quality North-Carolina TAR, on James Perry's Wharf.—Apply to

STEPHEN T. NORTHAM.

Newport, Feb. 7, 1806.

HAVANNA Molaſſes, ſuitable for Retailing—for Sale, by

SIMON NEWTON, jun.

Newport, Feb. 7, 1806.

TO BE LET,

And entered the 15th of February next,

THAT large, commodious Houſe and Garden-Lot, ormerly the property of *Auguſtus Johnston*, Eſq. now in the poſſeſſion of Capt *William Wood*.—For terms apply to

JOHN FREEBODY.

TO LET,

A HOUSE on the Point pleaſantly ſituated, with a good Well of Water and large Cellar, on reaſonable terms. Poſſeſſion given immediately. Apply to

JOB SHEARMAN,

Who has juſt Received, and for Sale, a ſupply of new Goods, bought with Caſh at Boſton. Alſo one Bale of Blankets—very cheap.

Newport, 11th mo. 22d, 1805.

THE Honorable Court of Probate for the Town of Portſmouth, have allowed the further term of ſix months from the eighth day of January, 1806, for the creditors of ELIZABETH HEFFERNAN, late of Portſmouth, Widow, deceaſed, to exhibit and make out their claims before the ſubſcribers, commiſſioners upon ſaid eſtate. We will receive ſaid claims at our reſpective dwellings, at any time within ſaid term.—No account will be allowed unleſs properly authenticated

HENRY LAWTON,
ROBERT DENNIS, jun.

Portsmouth, January 24, 1806

NATHANIEL DEARBORN,

Book-Binder and Stationer,

HAS taken the Chamber over Meſſrs. *Mein* and *Rogers* Store No. 77 in Thames-ſtreet,, where the Book-binding Buſineſs will be carried on in its various branches; Account-Books, with or without ſteel backs, ruled to any pattern. Any orders in the above buſineſs will be executed with punctuality and diſpatch.

He has for Sale,

An aſſortment of Stationary; among which are the following, viz. Letter and common Writing-Paper; Sealing-Wax; Wafers; Dutch Quills from No. 6 to 16; Ink-Powder, red and black; Ink-ſtands; Sand-boxes; Blanks of various kinds; School-Books, &c. &c.

NOTICE.

ORDERS have been received from Government, for the completion of the collection of the direct Tax, ordered by Congreſs, July 14, 1798.—Therefore this is to inform thoſe who have not paid their tax, that unleſs they make an immediate ſettlement with the Collector, their eſtates muſt be advertiſed for ſale

JOHN A. COLLINS,
Collector 1st Diſtrict.

Collectors Office, Dec. 1, 1805.

STEUBEN'S MILITARY TACTICS,

Embelliſhed with nine Plates; for ſale, at the office of the Newport Mercury; price 75 Cents.